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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:610058 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 139:161308

TITLE: **Inactivation resistant**  
procoagulant-active **factor VIII**  
and therapeutic use for hemophilia

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AB The present invention provides novel purified and isolated nucleic acid sequences encoding procoagulant-active FVIII proteins. The nucleic acid sequences of the present invention encode amino acid sequences corresponding to known human FVIII sequences, wherein **residue Phe309 is mutated**. The nucleic acid sequences of the present invention also encode amino acid sequences corresponding to known human FVIII sequences, wherein the APC cleavage sites, **Arg336** and **Ile562**, are **mutated**. The nucleic acid sequences of the present invention further encode amino acid sequences corresponding to known human FVIII sequences, wherein the B-domain is **deleted**, the von Willebrand factor binding site is **deleted**, a thrombin cleavage site is **mutated**, an amino acid sequence spacer is **inserted** between the A2- and A3-domains. Methods of producing the FVIII proteins of the invention, nucleotide sequences encoding such proteins, pharmaceutical comps. containing the nucleotide sequences or proteins, as well as methods of treating patients suffering from hemophilia, are also provided.

L20 ANSWER 2 OF 44 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 1  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003219831 MEDLINE  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 22615925 PubMed ID: 12606556  
 TITLE: Mechanisms of factor Xa-catalyzed cleavage of the factor VIIla A1 subunit resulting in cofactor **inactivation**  
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AB Activation of **factor VIII** by factor Xa is followed by proteolytic **inactivation** resulting from cleavage within the A1 subunit (**residues 1-372**) of factor VIIla. Factor Xa attacks two sites in A1, **Arg(336)**, which precedes the highly acidic C-terminal region, and a recently identified site at Lys(36). By

using isolated A1 subunit as substrate for proteolysis, production of the terminal fragment, A1(37-336), was shown to proceed via two pathways identified by the intermediates A1(1-336) and A1(37-372) and generated by initial cleavage at **Arg(336)** and Lys(36), respectively. Appearance of the terminal product by the former pathway was 7-8-fold slower than the product obtained by the latter pathway. The isolated A1 subunit was cleaved slowly, independent of the presence of phospholipid. The A1/A3-C1-C2 dimer demonstrated an approximately 3-fold increased cleavage rate constant, and inclusion of phospholipid further enhanced this value by approximately 2-fold. Although association of A1 or A1(37-372) with A3-C1-C2 enhanced the rate of cleavage at **Arg(336)**, inclusion of A3-C1-C2 did not affect the cleavage at Lys(36) in A1(1-336). A synthetic peptide 337-372 blocked the cleavage at Lys(36) (IC<sub>50</sub> = 230 microm) while showing little if any effect on cleavage at **Arg(336)**. Proteolysis at Lys(36), and to a lesser extent **Arg(336)**, was inhibited in a dose-dependent manner by heparin. These results suggest that **inactivating** cleavages catalyzed by factor Xa at Lys(36) and **Arg(336)** are regulated in part by the A3-C1-C2 subunit. Furthermore, cleavage at Lys(36) appears to be selectively modulated by the C-terminal acidic region of A1, a region that may interact with factor Xa via its heparin-binding exosite.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003259171 EMBASE  
TITLE: [Hemostatic parameters as hypercoagulability indicators in pregnancy].  
PARAMETRI HEMOSTAZE KAO POKAZATELJI HIPERKOAGULABILNOSTI U TRUDNOCI.  
AUTHOR: Vodnik T.; Ignjatovic S.; Majkic-Singh N.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: T. Vodnik, Institut za Medicinsku Biohemiju, Klinicki Centar Srbije, Visegradska 26, 11000 Beograd, Yugoslavia  
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AB The concentrations of plasma proteins involved in the process of coagulation are changed during the normal pregnancy, interfering with balance between procoagulant and anticoagulant systems. These changes include the increased activity of coagulation factors, the increased fibrin production and suppression of fibrinolysis. In this way, the risk of blood loss is reduced by physiological mechanisms, but the risk of thrombosis becomes higher. Thrombosis of placental blood vessels gives rise to placental insufficiency, causing the repeated miscarriages, retardation of fetal growth, eclampsia, intrauterine death of fetus and pre-term delivery. The causes of these incidents are the changes occurring within protein C coagulation system. The central anticoagulant enzyme is APC, which **inactivates** the activated factors V and VIII by proteolysis and, in that manner, inhibits the production of thrombin. The **resistance** to APC is the impairment of blood coagulation

characterized by lower sensitivity to anticoagulant activity of APC. This disorder is in 95% of cases, caused by specific factor V gene point **mutation** and designated as F V Leiden. It is point **mutation** on locus 1691 where guanine is replaced by adenine what will lead to synthesis of modified F V molecule in which **arginine** is replaced by glutamine on locus 506. **Arginine** 506 is the locus of factor Xa binding, and it inhibits the **inactivation** of factor Va by the action of APC. The testing performed in pregnant women, with regular and complicated pregnancy, in different periods, has shown that fibrinogen, fibrin monomer, TAT complex and PAI were good markers of hypercoagulability in pregnancy. The values of protein C activity were within normal limits. Protein S values were below lower limits. Global activity of protein C-anticoagulant pathway and its relation with procoagulant system were presented by quantitative measurement using Pro C Global test, while determination of activated protein C by means of APC sensitivity test was used for identification of persons with APC **resistance**, e.g. with higher risk of thrombosis. Significantly lower PC-NR and APC-NR values were found in pregnant women with repeated miscarriages and in pregnant women with hypertension in relation to pregnant women with regular pregnancy. The results revealed significantly lower APC-anticoagulant activity in pregnancy, particularly in pregnancy associated with complications. Diagnostic accuracy of these parameters as markers of thrombotic changes in pregnancy was tested by ROC analysis. PC-NR and APC-NR showed satisfactory diagnostic accuracy as markers of thrombotic changes in pregnant women, more precisely, they were found to be good indicators of **resistance** to activated protein C in pregnancy.

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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:318288 SCISEARCH  
 THE GENUINE ARTICLE: 539AC  
 TITLE: Cofactor activities of factor VIIIA and A2 subunit following cleavage of A1 subunit at **Arg(336)**  
 AUTHOR: Rosenblum M E K; Schmidt K; Freas J; Matri M; Fay P J (Reprint)  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Univ Rochester, Med Ctr, Dept Biochem & Biophys, POB 610, 601 Elmwood Ave, Rochester, NY 14642 USA (Reprint); Univ Rochester, Sch Med & Dent, Dept Biochem & Biophys, Rochester, NY 14642 USA; Univ Rochester, Sch Med & Dent, Dept Med, Rochester, NY 14642 USA  
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AB Factor VIIIA consists of three subunits designated A1, A2, and A3-C1-C2. The isolated A2 subunit possesses limited cofactor activity in stimulating factor IXa-catalyzed activation of factor X. This activity is markedly enhanced by the A1 subunit (inter-subunit K-d = 1.8  $\mu$ m). The C-terminal region of A1 subunit (**residues** 337-372) is thought to represent an A2-interactive site. This region appears critical to factor VIIIA, because proteolysis at **Arg(336)** by activated protein C or factor IXa is **inactivating**. A truncated A1 (A1(

**336**) showed similar affinity for A2 subunit ( $K_d = 0.9 \mu M$ ) and stimulated its cofactor activity to similar to 50% that observed for native A1. However, A1**336** was unable to reconstitute factor VIIIa activity in the presence of A2 and A3-C1-C2 subunits. Fluorescence anisotropy of fluorescein (F1)-FFR-factor IXa was differentially altered by factor VIIIa trimers containing either A1 or A1**336**. Fluorescence energy transfer demonstrated that, although F1-A1**336**/A3-C1-C2 bound acrylodan-A2 with similar affinity as the native dimer, an increased inter-fluorophore separation was observed. These results indicate that the C-terminal region of A1 appears necessary to properly orient A2 subunit relative to factor IXa in the cofactor rather than directly stimulate A2 and elucidate the mechanism for cofactor **inactivation** following cleavage at this site.

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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002299851 MEDLINE  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 22005971 PubMed ID: 12010798  
 TITLE: Isolation and characterization of an antifactor V antibody causing activated protein C **resistance** from a patient with severe thrombotic manifestations.  
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AB A 44-year-old woman with a history of severe thrombotic manifestations presented with a markedly reduced activated protein C-sensitivity ratio (APC-SR). DNA sequencing of and around the regions encoding the APC cleavage sites in the factor Va molecule excluded the presence of the factor VLeiden **mutation** and of other known genetic **mutations**. No antiphospholipid antibodies were present in the patient's plasma and both prothrombin time and activated partial thromboplastin time were normal. The total immunoglobulin fraction was isolated from the patient's plasma and found to induce severe APC **resistance** when added to normal plasma and to factor V-deficient plasma supplemented with increasing concentrations of factor V. Immunoblotting and immunoprecipitation experiments with the total immunoglobulin fraction purified from the patient's plasma demonstrated that the antibody recognizes factor V, is polyclonal, and has conformational epitopes on the entire factor V molecule (heavy and light chains, and B region). Thus, the immunoglobulin fraction interferes with the anticoagulant pathway involving factor V. The inhibitor was isolated by sequential affinity chromatography on protein G-Sepharose and factor V-Sepharose. The isolated immunoglobulin fraction inhibited factor Va **inactivation** by APC because of impaired cleavage at **Arg306** and **Arg506** of the heavy chain of the cofactor. The isolated immunoglobulin fraction was also found to inhibit the cofactor effect of factor V for the **inactivation** of factor VIII

by the APC/protein S complex. Our data provide for the first time the demonstration of an antifactor V antibody not related to the presence of antiphospholipid antibodies, which is responsible for thrombotic rather than hemorrhagic symptoms.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002216353 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21947498 PubMed ID: 11950687  
TITLE: Factor V and thrombotic disease: description of a janus-faced protein.  
AUTHOR: Nicolaes Gerry A F; Dahlback Bjorn  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Laboratory Medicine, Division of Clinical Chemistry, Lund University, The Wallenberg Laboratory, University Hospital Malmö, Malmö, Sweden.  
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AB The generation of thrombin by the prothrombinase complex constitutes an essential step in hemostasis, with thrombin being crucial for the amplification of blood coagulation, fibrin formation, and platelet activation. In the prothrombinase complex, the activated form of coagulation factor V (FVa) is an essential cofactor to the enzyme-activated factor X (FXa), FXa being virtually ineffective in the absence of its cofactor. Besides its procoagulant potential, intact factor V (FV) has an anticoagulant cofactor capacity functioning in synergy with protein S and activated protein C (APC) in APC-catalyzed **inactivation** of the activated form of **factor VIII**. The expression of anticoagulant cofactor function of FV is dependent on APC-mediated proteolysis of intact FV. Thus, FV has the potential to function in procoagulant and anticoagulant pathways, with its functional properties being modulated by proteolysis exerted by procoagulant and anticoagulant enzymes. The procoagulant enzymes factor Xa and thrombin are both able to activate circulating FV to FVa. The activity of FVa is, in turn, regulated by APC together with its cofactor protein S. In fact, the regulation of thrombin formation proceeds primarily through the upregulation and downregulation of FVa cofactor activity, and failure to control FVa activity may result in either bleeding or thrombotic complications. A prime example is APC **resistance**, which is the most common genetic risk factor for thrombosis. It is caused by a single point **mutation** in the FV gene (factor V(Leiden)) that not only renders FVa less susceptible to the proteolytic **inactivation** by APC but also impairs the anticoagulant properties of FV. This review gives a description of the dualistic character of FV and describes the gene-gene and gene-environment interactions that are important for the involvement of FV in the etiology of venous thromboembolism.

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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: 551EV  
TITLE: The activated protein C (APC)-**resistant phenotype** of APC cleavage site **mutants** of recombinant factor V in a reconstituted plasma model  
AUTHOR: Kolfschoten M V (Reprint); Dirven R J; Tans G; Rosing J; Vos H L; Bertina R M  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Leiden Univ, Med Ctr, Ctr Hemostasis & Thrombosis Res, Dept Hematol, D2-19, POB 9600, NL-2300 RC Leiden, Netherlands (Reprint); Leiden Univ, Med Ctr, Ctr Hemostasis & Thrombosis Res, Dept Hematol, NL-2300 RC Leiden, Netherlands; UM, CARIM, Dept Biochem, Maastricht, Netherlands  
COUNTRY OF AUTHOR: Netherlands  
SOURCE: BLOOD COAGULATION & FIBRINOLYSIS, (APR 2002) Vol. 13, No. 3, pp. 207-215.  
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AB Recently, new missense **mutations** in the activated protein C (APC) cleavage sites of human factor V (FV) distinct from the R506Q (FV Leiden) **mutation** have been reported. These **mutations** affect the APC cleavage site at **arginine (Arg)** 306 in the heavy chain of activated FV. Whether these **mutations** result in APC **resistance** and are associated with a risk of thrombosis is not clear. The main objective of the present study was to identify the APC-**resistant phenotype** of FV molecules with different **mutations** in APC cleavage sites. To study this, recombinant FV **mutants** were reconstituted in FV-deficient plasma, after which normalized APC-sensitivity ratios (n-APC-SRs) were measured in activated partial thromboplastin time-based and Russell's Viper Venom time-based APC-**resistance** tests. The **mutations** introduced in FV were R306G, R306T, R506Q, R679A and combinations of these **mutations**. Based on the APC-sensitivity ratios, we conclude that the naturally occurring **mutations** at **Arg306** (i.e. FV HongKong and FV Cambridge) result in a mildly reduced sensitivity for APC (n-APC-SR, 0.74-0.87), whereas much lower values (n-APC-SR, 0.41-0.51) are obtained for the **mutation** at **Arg506** (FV Leiden). No effect on the n-APC-SR was observed for the recombinant FV **mutant** containing the single Ala679 **mutation**. Because reduced sensitivity for APC, not due to FV Leiden, is a risk factor for venous thrombosis, these data suggest that **mutations** at **Arg306** might be associated with a mild risk of venous thrombosis. (C) 2002 Lippincott Williams Wilkins.

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TITLE: Proteolysis of protein C in pooled normal plasma and purified protein C by activated protein C (APC).  
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AB Protein C is a vitamin-K dependent zymogen of the anti-coagulant serine protease activated protein C (APC). In this paper, we report four lines of evidence that APC can activate protein C in pooled normal plasma, and purified protein C. First, the addition of APC to protein C-deficient plasma supplemented with protein C produces a prolongation of the clotting time of plasma that is proportional to the amount of protein C. This behavior was observed with APC from the Chromogenix APC **resistance** kit (Dia Pharm, Franklin, OH, USA) and from APC derived from the thrombin activation of human protein C (Enzyme Research Laboratories, South Bend, IN, USA). Secondly, using immunoblotting after gel electrophoresis, the disappearance of epitopes for monoclonal antibodies that recognize protein C but not APC indicates a time course for the activation by APC of protein C in pooled normal plasma and protein C purified from plasma. Thirdly, the same time course for the disappearance of protein C specific epitope can be followed using ELISA. Finally, protein C can be activated by APC as indicated by the increase in APC specific synthetic substrate Tryp-**Arg-Arg**-p nitroaniline hydrolysis. Kinetic data indicate a value of  $4.7 \pm 0.4 \text{ mM}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$  for the activation of protein C by APC under physiological conditions and in the presence of calcium. These observations document that APC must function not only in the **inactivation** of activated factors V and VIII, but also in the activation of protein C. This additional action of APC may be important to consider more broadly because of APC in the treatment of sepsis. Copyright .COPYRGT. 2002 Elsevier Science B.V.

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AB The invention discloses methods, gene databases, gene arrays, protein arrays, and devices that may be used to determine the hypersensitivity of individuals to a given agent, such as drug or other chemical, in order to prevent toxic side effects. In one embodiment, methods of identifying hypersensitivity in a subject by obtaining a gene expression profile of multiple genes associated with hypersensitivity of the subject suspected to be hypersensitive, and identifying in the gene expression profile of the subject a pattern of gene expression of the genes associated with hypersensitivity are disclosed. The gene expression profile of the subject may be compared with the gene expression profile of a normal individual and a hypersensitive individual. The gene expression profile of the subject that is obtained may comprise a profile of levels of mRNA or cDNA. The gene expression profile may be obtained by using an array of nucleic acid probes for the plurality of genes associated with hypersensitivity. The expression of the genes predetd. to be associated with hypersensitivity is directly related to prevention or repair of toxic damage at the tissue, organ or system level. Gene databases arrays and apparatus useful for identifying hypersensitivity in a subject are also disclosed.

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thromboembolism.

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MN, USA

SOURCE: Blood, (November 16, 2001) Vol. 98, No. 11 Part 2, pp. 90b.  
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AB We hypothesized that **mutations** within the respective activated  
protein C (APC)-binding regions on the heavy chains of Factor (f)V (fV  
amino acids 1865-1874) or fVIII (fVIII amino acids 2009-2018) could alter  
APC binding affinity, produce an APC-**resistance**  
**phenotype**, and cause venous thromboembolism (VTE). To test this  
hypothesis, we used denaturing high pressure liquid chromatography to  
screen the fV and fVIII gene sequence encoding for amino acid  
**residues** fV1839-1874 and fVIII1981-2019 for unknown sequence  
variations using genomic DNA from two random samples (n=300) of

consecutive, objectively confirmed VTE patients referred to the Mayo Clinic Special Coagulation Laboratory for a clinical suspicion of thrombophilia, and from 14 VTE patients with APC-**resistance** who were non-carriers for the fV R506Q (Leiden) **mutation** and had no other cause for acquired APC-**resistance**. No **mutations** within these respective fV and fVIII gene sequences were discovered. However, a chronically-anticoagulated male patient with recurrent VTE was hemizygous for a novel fVIII6028T(R) C nucleotide change, encoding for a serine1991 to proline (fVIII S1991P) **substitution**. The patient also was a heterozygous carrier for the fV R506Q **mutation**. In an aPTT-based plasma fVIII activity assay, fVIII S1991P showed normal sensitivity to **inactivation** by exogenous APC. In an aPTT-based "fV activity" assay using fVIII-deficient substrate that also was immunodepleted of fV, the patient's plasma showed a sensitivity to exogenous APC **inactivation** that was similar to heterozygous fV R506Q plasma and intermediate between homozygous fV R506Q and normal plasma. Conclusions: 1) **Mutations** within the fV and fVIII gene sequence encoding for amino acid **residues** fV2009-2018 and fVIII1865-1874 are not common risk factors for VTE. 2) Based on the normal sensitivity of fVIII S1991P to APC **inactivation**, fVIII S1991 does not appear to be important for APC binding although this requires confirmation in direct binding assays.

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 TITLE: Cofactor activity associated with the isolated A2 subunit of factor VIIIA is stimulated by a truncated A1 subunit lacking C-terminal **residues** 337-372.  
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 AB Factor VIIIA, the cofactor for factor IXa, is comprised of three subunits designated A1, A2 and A3-C1-C2. Reconstitution of the isolated subunits generates factor VIIIA cofactor activity. Interestingly, the isolated A2 subunit possesses limited cofactor activity in stimulating factor IXa-catalyzed activation of factor X. However, this effect is enhanced greater than 10-fold in the presence of saturating levels of A1 subunit, which likely binds to and influences the conformation of A2 subunit rather than directly interacting with other reaction components. The C-terminal region of A1 subunit (**residues** 337-372) represents an A2-interactive site and is implicated in A2 subunit retention in the factor VIIIA trimer following cleavage of the **factor VIII** heavy chain during cofactor activation. This region appears critical to factor VIIIA function since proteolysis at **Arg337** by

activated protein C (APC) contributes to cofactor **inactivation**. However, a peptide corresponding to this sequence failed to stimulate the A2-dependent cofactor activity. To determine whether **residues** other than this C-terminal region of A1 were important for its functional interaction with A2, the A1 subunit was truncated with bovine APC following cleavage at **Arg337**. The resultant product, designated A1-336 was purified following gel filtration to remove the 336-372 fragment and evaluated for its capacity to stimulate isolated A2 subunit, as well as reconstitute factor VIIla activity, using a factor Xa generation assay employing purified components. Results showed that the truncated A1 (800 nM) stimulated the activity of isolated A2 subunit (400 nM) apprx5-fold compared with a near 20-fold stimulation using an equivalent concentration of native A1 subunit. Addition of the 337-372 peptide (up to 40 µM) to A1-336 did not increase its level of A2-stimulating activity. The fluorescence anisotropy of fluorescein-**Phe-Phe-Arg** labeled-factor IXa in the presence of A2 subunit was similarly increased by either native or the truncated A1 subunit. Alternatively, the truncated A1 failed to reconstitute factor VIIla activity in the presence of A2 and A3-C1-C2 subunits. These results indicate that sequences(s) distinct from the C-terminal region A1 subunit interact with A2 and contribute to the cofactor effect of factor VIIla. Furthermore, this region of A1 subunit appears necessary to orient, as well as retain A2 subunit in the factor VIIla trimer.

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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: 314VF

TITLE: Factor V antigen levels and venous thrombosis - Risk profile, interaction with factor V Leiden, and relation with **factor VIII** antigen levels

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AB Clotting factor V has a dual function in coagulation: after activation, procoagulant factor V stimulates the formation of thrombin, whereas anticoagulant factor V acts as a cofactor for activated protein C (APC) in the degradation of **factor VIII/VIIIa**, thereby reducing thrombin formation. In the present study, we evaluated whether plasma factor V levels, either decreased or increased, are associated with venous thrombosis. High procoagulant factor V levels may enhance prothrombinase activity and increase the thrombosis risk. Low anticoagulant factor V levels could reduce APC-cofactor activity in the **factor**

**VIII inactivation (APC-resistant phenotype)**, which might also promote thrombosis. Low factor V levels in combination with factor V Leiden could lead to a more severe **APC-resistant phenotype** (pseudohomozygous **APC resistance**). To address these issues, we have measured factor V antigen (factor V:AE) levels in 474 patients with thrombosis and 474 control subjects that were part of the Leiden Thrombophilia Study (LETS). Factor V:Ag levels increased by 7.6 U/dL for every successive 10 years of age. Mean factor V:AE levels were 134 (range 41 to 305) U/dL in patients and 132 (range 47 to 302) U/dL in controls. Neither high nor low factor V:Ag levels were associated with venous thrombosis. We found that factor V:Ag and **factor VIII** antigen levels in plasma were correlated, but factor V did not modify the thrombotic risk of high **factor VIII** levels. The normalized APC ratio was not influenced by the factor V:Ag level in subjects with or without factor V Leiden. We conclude that neither low nor high factor V:Ag levels are associated with venous thrombosis and that factor V:Ag levels do not mediate the thrombotic risk associated with high **factor VIII** levels.

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TITLE: Cleavage of factor V at **arg** 506 by activated protein C and the expression of anticoagulant activity of factor V

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AB Activated protein C (APC) inhibits coagulation by cleaving and **inactivating** procoagulant factor Va (FVa) and factor **VIIIa** (FVIIIa). FV, in addition to being the precursor of FVa, has anticoagulant properties; functioning in synergy with protein S as a cofactor of APC in the inhibition of the FVIIIa-factor IXa (FIXa) complex. FV:Q506 isolated from an individual homozygous for **APC-resistance** is less efficient as an APC-cofactor than normal FV (FV:R506). To investigate the importance of the three APC cleavage sites in FV (**Arg**-306, **Arg**-506, and **Arg**-679) for expression of its APC-cofactor activity, four recombinant FV **mutants** (FV:Q306, FV:Q306/Q506, FV:Q506, and FV:Q679) were tested. FV **mutants** with Gln (Q) at position 506 instead of **Arg** (R) were found to be poor APC-cofactors, whereas **Arg** to Gln **mutations** at positions 306 or 679 had no neg. effect on the APC-cofactor activity of FV. The loss of APC-cofactor activity as a result of the **Arg** -506 to Gln **mutation** suggested that APC-cleavage at **Arg** -506 in FV is important for the ability of FV to function as an APC-cofactor. Using Western blotting, it was shown that both wild-type FV and **mutant** FV was cleaved by APC during the FVIIIa inhibition. At optimum concns. of wild-type FV (11 nmol/L) and protein S (100 nmol/L), FVIIIa was found to be highly sensitive to APC with maximum inhibition occurring at less than 1 nmol/L APC. FV:Q506 was inactive as an APC-cofactor at APC-concns.  $\leq 1$  nmol/L and only partially active at higher APC concns. Our results show that increased expression of FV

anticoagulant activity correlates with APC-mediated cleavage at  
**Arg-506** in FV, but not with cleavage at **Arg-306** nor at  
**Arg-679**.

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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: 251JP

TITLE: Influence of **factor VIII**/von  
Willebrand complex on the activated protein C-  
**resistance phenotype** and on the risk for  
venous thromboembolism in heterozygous carriers of the  
factor V Leiden **mutation**

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AB High factor WI plasma levels have been shown to represent a common  
increased risk for venous thromboembolism (VTE) and may cause an activated  
protein C (APC) **resistance** in the absence of the factor V Leiden  
**mutation**, but there are no studies specifically aimed to establish  
if high **factor VIII** and von Willebrand factor (vWF)  
concentrations may influence the APC sensitivity ratio (APC-SR) and  
increase the risk for VTE in the presence of the factor V Leiden  
**mutation**. For this purpose, we performed a retrospective  
case-control study to investigate the influence of the procoagulant  
**factor VIII** (WI:C) and the antigen of vWF (vWF:Ag) on  
the normalized APC-SR (n-APC-SR) and on the risk for VTE, in two selected  
groups of 30 symptomatic (Group I) and 32 asymptomatic (Group II) related  
heterozygotes for the factor V Leiden **mutation**. Differences  
between the two groups (Group I versus Group II) were: n-APC-SR, 0.57 +/-  
0.06 versus 0.63 +/- 0.08, P = 0.001; **factor VIII**:C,  
1.49 +/- 0.42 versus 1.13 +/- 0.28 IU/ml, P < 0.001; vWF:Ag, 1.46 +/- 0.53  
versus 1.26 +/- 0.32 IU/ml, NS. As a whole (Group I + Group II), Pearson  
correlation coefficients were: n-APC-SR versus **factor**  
**VIII**:C, r = -0.410, P = 0.001; n-APC-SR versus vWF:Ag, r = -0.  
309, P = 0.01; **factor VIII**:C versus vWF:Ag, r  
= +0.640, P < 0.0001. The relative risk for VTE in individuals with the  
**factor VIII**:C concentration >1.5 IU/ml was 2.5 (95%  
confidence interval 1.6-3.9). We concluded that high **factor**  
**VIII**:C levels, probably in the effect of vWF, play a determinant  
role in worsening the APC-**resistance phenotype** and  
represent a common additional risk factor for VTE in heterozygous carriers  
of the factor V Leiden **mutation**. (C) 1999 Lippincott Williams &

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 TITLE: Activated protein C **resistance** and thrombosis:  
 molecular mechanisms of hypercoagulable state due to  
 FVR506Q **mutation**.  
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AB Inherited **resistance** to activated protein C (APC) is the most common genetic risk factor of venous thrombosis. It is caused by a single point **mutation** in the factor (F)V gene which predicts replacement of **Arg506** with a Gln (FVR506Q, FV: Q506 or FV Leiden). This **mutation** affects the function of the protein C system, a physiologically important natural anticoagulant pathway. APC inhibits coagulation by cleaving a limited number of peptide bonds in both intact and activated forms of factor V (FV/FVa) and **factor VIII** (FVIII/FVIIIa). Degradation of FVa by APC is stimulated by protein S, whereas **inactivation** of FVIIIa requires the synergistic cofactor function of protein S and FV proteolytically modified by APC. Thus, FV has the potential to express opposing functions, as a procoagulant after cleavage by thrombin or FXa and as an anticoagulant after cleavage by APC. The FVR506Q **mutation** not only confers partial **resistance** of FVa to APC but also impairs the degradation of FVIIIa because APC-mediated cleavage of FV at **Arg506** is required for expression of the anticoagulant activity of FV. The impaired degradation of both FVIIIa and FVa yield a hypercoagulable state conferring a lifelong increased risk of thrombosis. The FV **mutation** is common in Caucasians, whereas it is rarely found among other groups worldwide. In patients with severe thrombophilia having other inherited defects such as deficiencies of protein S, protein C, or antithrombin, APC **resistance** is often found as a contributing genetic risk factor. Individuals with combined genetic defects have a high risk of thrombosis, and it is now generally accepted that thrombophilia is a multigenetic disease.

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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999338498 MEDLINE  
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Journal code: 9607880. ISSN: 1226-3613.  
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AB FVIII is synthesized as a single chain precursor of approximately 280 kD with the domain structure of A1-A2-B-A3-C1-C2 and it circulates as a series of metal ion-linked heterodimers that result from cleavages at B-A3 junction as well as additional cleavages within B domain. **Factor VIII** is converted to its active form, factor VIIIA, upon proteolytic cleavages by thrombin and is a heterotrimer composed of the A1, A2, and A3-C1-C2 subunits. A1 subunits of factor VIIIA terminates with 36 **residue** segment (Met337-**Arg372**) rich in acidic **residues**. This segment is removed after cleavages at **Arg336** by activated protein C, which results in **inactivation** of the cofactor. In the present study, site-directed mutagenesis of FVIII at **Arg336** to Gln336 was performed in order to produce an **inactivation resistant mutant** rFVIII (rFVIIIIm) with an extended physiological stability. A recombinant **mutant** heavy chain of FVIII (rFVIII-Hm; **Arg336** to Gln336) and wild-type light chain of FVIII (rFVIII-L) were expressed in Baculovirus-insect cell (Sf9) system, and a biologically active recombinant **mutant** FVIII (rFVIIIIm) was reconstituted from rFVIII-Hm and rFVIII-L in the FVIII-depleted human plasma containing 40 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>. The rFVIIIIm exhibited cofactor activity of FVIIIA (2.85 x 10<sup>-2</sup>) units/mg protein) that sustained the high level activity during in vitro incubation at 37 degrees C for 24 h, while the cofactor activity of normal plasma was declined steadily for the period. These results indicate that rFVIIIIm (**Arg336** to Gln336) expressed in Baculovirus-insect cell system is **inactivation resistant** in the plasma coagulation milieu and may be useful for the treatment of hemophilia A.

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coagulation factor V  
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AB Coagulation factor V is composed of domains A1-A2-B-A3-C1-C2 and is activated by thrombin through proteolytic cleavage at **Arg** 709, **Arg** 1018 and **Arg** 1545. Upon thrombin activation, the B-domain is released and the active factor Va is formed by the heavy (A1-A2) and light chains (A3-C1-C2). Factor Va functions as an essential cofactor to factor Xa in the conversion of prothrombin to thrombin during coagulation. Recently it was shown that coagulation factor V, apart from being a precursor form to the procoagulant factor Va, also has anticoagulant properties, as it functions as a cofactor to activated protein C (APC). APC is a member of the anticoagulant pathway and downregulates the coagulation process through proteolytic **inactivation** of factors VIII/VIIIa and factors V/Va. In a factor VIIIa degradation assay, the APC-mediated **inactivation** of factor VIIIa is potentiated by the synergistic cofactors protein S and factor V. Protein S alone has little cofactor activity, whereas in the presence of factor V it is dramatically enhanced. This study provides insights into the molecular mechanisms that regulate the anticoagulant activity of factor V. Thrombin cleavage of factor V occurs in a sequential order. The thrombin cleavage site **Arg** 1545 is kinetically less favored than the other two sites, and cleavage at this site is the last to occur during thrombin activation of factor V. As a consequence of this, different activation intermediates exist that express different levels of procoagulant activity. The anticoagulant activities of these intermediates have now been studied. It was found that factor V could be cleaved by thrombin at both **Arg** 709 and **Arg** 1018 and still work fully as a cofactor to APC, whereas cleavage at **Arg** 1545 completely abolished the anticoagulant activity of factor V. This suggests that the APC cofactor function of factor V depends on the B-domain remaining attached to the A3 domain. This study further shows that APC converts coagulation factor V into a member of the anticoagulant pathway by cleaving factor V in the A2 domain at **Arg** 506. By cleavage of factor V, APC not only produces an anticoagulant cofactor, but at the same time eliminates the pool of procoagulant factor V, since APC cleaved factor V will have no future as a cofactor in the coagulation. The unique way by which APC and thrombin, through proteolytic cleavage, can convert factor V into either an anticoagulant or a procoagulant adds to the intriguing mechanisms that balance the procoagulant and anticoagulant forces.

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AB Factor V (FV) is a central regulator of hemostasis, serving both as a critical cofactor for the prothrombinase activity of factor Xa and the target for proteolytic **inactivation** by the anticoagulant, activated protein C (APC). To examine the evolutionary conservation of FV procoagulant activity and functional **inactivation** by APC, we cloned and sequenced the coding region of murine FV cDNA and generated recombinant wild-type and **mutant** murine FV proteins. The murine FV cDNA encodes a 2,183-amino acid protein. Sequence comparison shows that the A1-A3 and C1-C2 domains of FV are highly conserved, demonstrating greater than 84% sequence identity between murine and human, and 60% overall amino acid identity among human, bovine, and murine FV sequences. In contrast, only 35% identity among all three species is observed for the poorly conserved B domain. The **arginines** at all thrombin cleavage sites and the R305 and R504 APC cleavage sites (corresponding to amino acid **residues** R306 and R506 in human FV) are invariant in all three species. Point **mutants** were generated to **substitute** glutamine at R305; R504, or both (R305/R504). Wild-type and all three **mutant** FV recombinant proteins show equivalent FV procoagulant activity. Single **mutations** at R305 or R504 result in partial **resistance** of FV to APC **inactivation**, whereas recombinant murine FV carrying both **mutations** (R305Q/R504Q) is nearly completely APC **resistant**. Thus, the structure and function of FV and its interaction with APC are highly conserved across mammalian species. (C) 1998 by The American Society of Hematology.

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TITLE: **Mutation at either Arg336 or Arg562 in factor VIII is insufficient for complete resistance to activated protein C (APC)-mediated inactivation: implications for the APC resistance test.**  
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AB Activated protein C (APC)-mediated **inactivation** of

factor VIII (FVIII) correlates with cleavage at either Arg336 and/or Arg562. To elucidate the APC cleavage requirements for inactivation of FVIII, APC cleavage site mutants in FVIII (R336I, R562K and R336I/R562K) were made by site-directed mutagenesis. Analysis of these FVIII mutants expressed in COS-1 monkey cells demonstrated the thrombin-cleaved mutant R562K was resistant to APC cleavage at residue 562 but not at Arg336 and the thrombin-cleaved mutant R336I was mostly resistant to APC cleavage at residue 336, but was sensitive to APC cleavage at Arg562. The double mutant R336I/R562K was mostly resistant to cleavage at residue 336 and completely resistant to cleavage at residue 562. Thus, APC cleavage of FVIII does not require a specific order of cleavage at either residue. The functional inactivation by APC was studied using partially purified preparations of FVIII expressed in Chinese hamster ovary cells. Both single mutants were inactivated at similar rates but slower than wild-type FVIII, whereas the double mutant R336I/R562K was resistant to inactivation. The ability of a commercially available APC-resistance assay kit to detect APC resistant FVIII was tested by reconstituting FVIII deficient plasma with the APC resistant mutants. Only the R336I/R562K demonstrated a reduced APC-resistance ratio, indicating that this assay can not detect the single APC cleavage site mutant of FVIII. These results suggest that APC-mediated cleavage at either Arg336 or Arg562 partially inactivate FVIII.

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AB We have previously used a solid phase binding assay to localize a Factor X (FX) interactive site to the acidic C-terminus of the A1 subunit of FVIIIa (Lapan KA, Fay PJ. J Biol Chem 1997; 272: 2082-2088). The complex of FVIII-FX was made covalent following reaction with the zero-length cross-linking reagent 1-ethyl-3-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)-carbodiimide hydrochloride (EDC). Western blotting of the thrombin-cleaved complex showed that the A1 subunit of FVIIIa associated

with FX heavy chain. The FX-A1 product was also detected following cross-linking to the A1/A3-C1-C2 dimer, but not the activated protein C-cleaved A1(336)/A3-C1-C2 form, indicating that a **residue(s)** in the region spanning Met(337)-**Arg**(372) contributed to the intermolecular ion pair(s). A synthetic peptide to this acidic region (FVIII337-372) cross-linked to FX and the product was alkaline **resistant** indicating that amide linkage(s) were formed. Sequence analysis of the FX-FVIII337-372 adduct suggested that the first 12 NH<sub>2</sub>-terminal **residues** of the FX and peptide do not participate in cross-link formation. Conversion of the cross-linked product to FXa by RW-X showed that the peptide was associated with the serine protease-forming domain of the heavy chain. These results indicate that the association of FVIIIa and FX occurs from a salt linkage(s) formed between **residues** of the A1 acidic C-terminus of the cofactor (within **residues** 349-372) and the serine protease-forming domain of the substrate.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 127:356538

TITLE: construction of **inactivation resistant factor VIII**  
procoagulant and applications to hemophilia treatment  
INVENTOR(S): Kaufman, Randal J.; Pipe, Steven W.  
; Amano, Kagehiro

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Regents of the University of Michigan, USA; Kaufman, Randal J.; Pipe, Steven W.; Amano, Kagehiro

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AB	Novel purified and isolated nucleic acid sequences encoding procoagulant-active FVIII proteins are described. To determine whether			

specific amino acid sequences within FVIII A-domain inhibit secretion, chimeric proteins containing the A1 and A2-domains of FVIII or FV were studied. The nucleic acid sequences of encode amino acid sequences corresponding to known human FVIII sequences where **residue Phe309** is **mutated**. The nucleic acid sequences also encode human FVIII sequences where the APC cleavage sites, **Arg336** and **Ile562**, are **mutated**. The nucleic acid sequences of sequences corresponding to known human FVIII sequences where the B-domain is **deleted**, the von Willebrand factor binding site is **deleted**, a thrombin cleavage site is **mutated** and an amino acid sequence spacer is **inserted** between the A2- and A3-domains. These nucleotide encode **factor VIII** proteins capable of secretion at levels higher than typically obtained with wild-type **factor VIII**. Methods of producing the FVIII proteins and pharmaceutical compns. containing the nucleotide sequences or proteins as well as methods of treating patients suffering from hemophilia are also provided. A lower dosage of protein may be administered to the hemophiliac patient during FVIII replacement therapy. By utilizing the proteins described, the total exposure of protein to the patient is reduced, thereby lowering the likelihood of inhibitor formation.

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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 97450923 MEDLINE  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 97450923 PubMed ID: 9305856  
 TITLE: Mutagenesis of a potential immunoglobulin-binding protein-binding site enhances secretion of coagulation **factor VIII**.  
 AUTHOR: Swaroop M; Moussalli M; **Pipe S W**; Kaufman R J  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Howard Hughes Medical Institute, University of Michigan Medical Center, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48109, USA.  
 CONTRACT NUMBER: HL52173 (NHLBI)  
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AB Coagulation **factor VIII** (FVIII) and factor V are homologous glycoproteins that have a domain structure of A1-A2-B-A3-C1-C2. FVIII is a heterodimer of the heavy chain (domains A1-A2-B) and the light chain (domains A3-C1-C2) in a metal ion-dependent association between the A1- and A3-domains. Previous studies identified a 110-amino acid region within the FVIII A1-domain that inhibits its secretion and contains multiple short peptide sequences that have potential to bind immunoglobulin-binding protein (BiP). FVIII secretion requires high levels of intracellular ATP, consistent with an ATP-dependent release from BiP. Site-directed mutagenesis was used to elucidate the importance of the potential BiP-binding sites in FVIII secretion. **Mutation of Phe** at position **309** to Ser or Ala enhanced the secretion of functional FVIII and reduced its ATP dependence. The F309S FVIII had a specific activity, thrombin activation profile, and heat

**inactivation** properties similar to those of wild-type FVIII. However, F309S FVIII displayed increased sensitivity to EDTA-mediated **inactivation** that is known to occur through metal ion chelation-induced dissociation of the heavy and light chains of FVIII. The results support that **Phs309** is important in high affinity heavy and light chain interaction, and this correlates with a high affinity BiP-binding site. Introduction of the F309S **mutation** into other secretion defective FVIII **mutants** rescued their secretion, demonstrating the ability of the this **mutation** to improve secretion of **mutant** FVIII proteins retained in the cell.

L20 ANSWER 23 OF 44 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 7  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998004487 MEDLINE  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 98004487 PubMed ID: 9342326  
 TITLE: Characterization of a genetically engineered **inactivation-resistant** coagulation factor VIIIa.  
 AUTHOR: Pipe S W; Kaufman R J  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Pediatrics, University of Michigan Medical Center, Ann Arbor, MI 48109, USA.  
 CONTRACT NUMBER: HL52173 (NHLBI)  
 SOURCE: PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, (1997 Oct 28) 94 (22) 11851-6. Journal code: 7505876. ISSN: 0027-8424.  
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AB Individuals with hemophilia A require frequent infusion of preparations of coagulation **factor VIII**. The activity of **factor VIII** (FVIII) as a cofactor for factor IXa in the coagulation cascade is limited by its instability after activation by thrombin. Activation of FVIII occurs through proteolytic cleavage and generates an unstable FVIII heterotrimer that is subject to rapid dissociation of its subunits. In addition, further proteolytic cleavage by thrombin, factor Xa, factor IXa, and activated protein C can lead to **inactivation**. We have engineered and characterized a FVIII protein, IR8, that has enhanced in vitro stability of FVIII activity due to **resistance** to subunit dissociation and proteolytic **inactivation**. FVIII was genetically engineered by **deletion of residues** 794-1689 so that the A2 domain is covalently attached to the light chain. Missense **mutations** at thrombin and activated protein C **inactivation** cleavage sites provided **resistance** to proteolysis, resulting in a single-chain protein that has maximal activity after a single cleavage after **arginine-372**. The specific activity of partially purified protein produced in transfected COS-1 monkey cells was 5-fold higher than wild-type (WT) FVIII. Whereas WT FVIII was **inactivated** by thrombin after 10 min in vitro, IR8 still retained 38% of peak activity after 4 hr. Whereas binding of IR8 to von Willebrand factor (vWF) was reduced 10-fold compared with WT FVIII, in the presence of an anti-light chain antibody, ESH8, binding of IR8 to vWF increased 5-fold. These results demonstrate that **residues** 1690-2332 of FVIII are sufficient to support high-affinity vWF binding. Whereas ESH8 inhibited WT **factor VIII** activity, IR8 retained its activity in

the presence of ESH8. We propose that **resistance** to A2 subunit dissociation abrogates inhibition by the ESH8 antibody. The stable FVIIIa described here provides the opportunity to study the activated form of this critical coagulation factor and demonstrates that proteins can be improved by rationale design through genetic engineering technology.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 97:884080 SCISEARCH  
THE GENUINE ARTICLE: YG425  
TITLE: Human and bovine activated protein C (APC) display differential cleavage and **inactivation** of human **factor VIII** at **residues ARG3361** and **ARG562**.  
AUTHOR: **Amano K (Reprint)**; Yamanak K; Arai M; Fay P J; **Kaufman R J**; Fukutake K  
CORPORATE SOURCE: TOKYO MED COLL, DEPT CLIN PATHOL, TOKYO 160, JAPAN; UNIV ROCHESTER, DEPT MED, ROCHESTER, NY; UNIV MICHIGAN, DEPT BIOL CHEM, ANN ARBOR, MI 48109; UNIV MICHIGAN, HOWARD HUGHES MED INST, ANN ARBOR, MI 48109  
COUNTRY OF AUTHOR: JAPAN; USA  
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 97:693591 SCISEARCH  
THE GENUINE ARTICLE: XV801  
TITLE: The effect of **Arg(306)** -> Ala and **Arg(506)** -> Gln **substitutions** in the **inactivation** of recombinant human factor Va by activated protein C and protein S  
AUTHOR: Egan J O; Kalafatis M; Mann K G (Reprint)  
CORPORATE SOURCE: UNIV VERMONT, DEPT BIOCHEM, COLL MED, HLTH SCI COMPLEX, BURLINGTON, VT 05405 (Reprint); UNIV VERMONT, DEPT BIOCHEM, COLL MED, BURLINGTON, VT 05405  
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AB Factor Va (Na) is **inactivated** by activated protein C (APC) by cleavage of the heavy chain at **Arg(306)**, **Arg(506)**, and **Arg(679)**. Site-directed mutagenesis of human factor V cDNA was used to **substitute Arg(306)** --> Ala (rfVa(306A)) and **Arg(506)** --> Gln (rfVa(506Q)). Both the single and double **mutants** (rfVa(306A/506Q)) were constructed. The activation of these procofactors by alpha-thrombin and their **inactivation** by APC were assessed in coagulation assays using factor V-deficient plasma.

All recombinant and wild-type proteins had similar initial cofactor activity and identical activation products (a factor Va molecule composed of light and heavy chains). **Inactivation** of factor Va purified from human plasma (fVa(PLASMA)) in HBS Ca<sup>2+</sup> +0.5% BSA or in conditioned media by APC in the presence of phospholipid vesicles resulted in identical **inactivation** profiles and displayed identical cleavage patterns. Recombinant wild-type factor Va (rfVa(WT)) was **inactivated** by APC in the presence of phospholipid vesicles at an overall rate slower than fVa(PLASMA). The rfVa(306A) and rfVa(506Q) **mutants** were each **inactivated** at rates slower than rfVa(WT) and fVa(PLASMA). Following a 90-min incubation with APC, rfVa(306A) and rfVa(506Q) retain approximately 30-40% of the initial cofactor activity. The double **mutant**, rfVa(306A/506Q), was completely **resistant** to cleavage and **inactivation** by APC retaining 100% of the initial cofactor activity following a 90-min incubation in the presence of APC. Recombinant fVa(WT), rfVa(306A), rfVa(506Q), rfVa(306A/506Q) were also used to evaluate the effect of protein S on the individual cleavage sites of the cofactor by APC. The initial rates of rfVa(WT) and rfVa(306A) **inactivation** in the presence of protein S were unchanged, indicating cleavage at **Arg** (506) is not affected by protein S. The initial rate of rfVa(506Q) **inactivation** was increased, suggesting protein S slightly accelerates the cleavage at **Arg**(306). Overall, the data demonstrate high specificity with respect to cleavage sites for APC on factor Va and demonstrate that cleavages of the cofactor at both **Arg**(306) **Arg**(506) are required for efficient factor Va **inactivation**.

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 DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199799548893  
 TITLE: Factor V-Leiden and thrombophilia.  
 AUTHOR(S): Kalafatis, Michael; Mann, Kenneth G. [Reprint author]  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Biochem., Given Build., Health Sci. Complex, Univ. Vt. Coll. Med., Burlington, VT 05405-0068, USA  
 SOURCE: Arteriosclerosis Thrombosis and Vascular Biology, (1997) Vol. 17, No. 4, pp. 620-627.  
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 THE GENUINE ARTICLE: WV168  
 TITLE: Search for **mutations** in the genes for coagulation factors V and VIII with a possible predisposition to activated protein C **resistance**  
 AUTHOR: Bokarewa M I (Reprint); Falk G; Bremme K; Blomback M; Wiman B  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: KAROLINSKA HOSP, DEPT CLIN CHEM BLOOD COAGULAT RES, CLIN CHEM BLDG, S-17176 STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN (Reprint); KAROLINSKA HOSP, DEPT WOMAN & CHILD HLTH, S-10401 STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN  
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AB A total of 74 non-pregnant women with a previous episode of thrombosis were investigated for activated protein C (APC) **resistance** in the aPTT-based and factor Ma-X-based assays and for the presence of **mutations** in all APC-cleavage sites in the heavy chains of factor V and **factor VIII**. DNA fragments were amplified with the polymerase chain reaction (PCR) and those encoding for the **Arg**-306 and **Arg**-506 (factor V) and for **Arg**-740 ( **factor VIII**) cleavage sites were subjected to restriction enzyme analysis. DNA fragments of 29 selected patients corresponding to the **Arg**-306 and **Arg**-679 cleavage sites in factor V, and to the **Arg**-336 and **Arg**-562 cleavage sites in factor Vm were sequenced. APC **resistance** was found in 40 cases, using the aPTT-based assay and in 35, using the factor Ma-X-based assay (23 patients were APC **resistant** in both assays), whereas 22 individuals had a normal response to APC. Forty-three patients carried **Arg**-506 to Gln **mutation** in factor V. No other polymorphism or **mutation** was found in the genes for factors V or Vm in the vicinity of the APC cleavage sites. It was concluded that the difference in response to APC in the two assays may not be explained by the presence of **mutations** in the APC cleavage sites of factor V and factor Vm in this group of patients. The data do not exclude the presence of **mutations** elsewhere in the factor V or **factor VIII** genes.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 97210670 EMBASE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 1997210670  
TITLE: Regulation of thrombin formation by activated protein C: Effect of the factor V Leiden **mutation**.  
AUTHOR: Tans G.; Nicolaes G.A.F.; Rosing J.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dr. J. Rosing, Department of Biochemistry, Cardiovascular Res. Inst. Maastricht, Maastricht University, P.O. Box 616, 6200 MD Maastricht, Netherlands  
SOURCE: Seminars in Hematology, (1997) 34/3 (244-255).  
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COUNTRY: United States  
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022 Human Genetics  
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LANGUAGE: English  
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AB Activated Protein C (APC) **resistance**, one of the most common genetic risk factors for venous thrombosis, is caused by a single base **mutation** (G1691 → A) in the factor V (FV) gene resulting in the replacement of **Arg506** by Gln at a predominant cleavage site for APC. Great progress in understanding the mechanism of downregulation of FVa activity via the protein C pathway has been achieved by studying APC-mediated **inactivation** of FVa purified from homozygous APC-**resistant** individuals. This review briefly summarizes the role of



FVa in prothrombin activation and the structure- function relationship of FV and FVa. Subsequently, APC-dependent **inactivation** of FVa and FVa Leiden and its modulation by protein S and factor Xa in model systems containing purified proteins is discussed. FV also has a function in increasing the **inactivation** of FVIII/VIIIa by APC. This cofactor activity appears diminished in FV Leiden. Thus, an intricate mechanism of regulation of thrombin formation via the protein C pathway is starting to emerge. Extensive studies in plasma milieu will be needed to gain more insight into the relation between the presence of FV Leiden and impaired downregulation of thrombin formation in APC-**resistant** individuals.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199800060942  
TITLE: Human and bovine activated protein C (APC) display differential cleavage and **inactivation** of human **factor VIII** at **residues ARG3361** and **ARG562**.  
AUTHOR(S): **Amano, K.** [Reprint author]; Yamana, K.; Arai, M.; Fay, P. J.; **Kaufman, R. J.**; Fukutake, K.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Clin. Pathol., Tokyo Med. Coll., Tokyo, Japan  
SOURCE: Blood, (Nov. 15, 1997) Vol. 90, No. 10 SUPPL. 1 PART 2, pp. 90B. print.  
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 96219649 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 96219649 PubMed ID: 8639840  
TITLE: Comparison of activated protein C/protein S-mediated **inactivation** of human **factor VIII** and factor V.  
AUTHOR: Lu D; Kalafatis M; Mann K G; Long G L  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Biochemistry, College of Medicine, University of Vermont, Burlington, VT 05405, USA.  
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AB The proteolytic cleavage and subsequent **inactivation** of recombinant human **factor VIII** (rhFVIII) and human

factor VIIla (rhFVIIla) by recombinant human activated protein C (rAPC) was analyzed in the presence and absence of human protein S and human factor V (FV). Membrane-bound rhFVIIla spontaneously loses most of its initial cofactor activity after 15 minutes of incubation at pH 7.4. The remaining activity can be eliminated after incubation with rAPC. Complete **inactivation** of the membrane-bound rhFVIII and rhFVIIla by APC correlates with cleavage at **Arg336**. The **inactivation** of rhFVIII and human plasma FV by rAPC were also compared. Under similar experimental conditions, complete **inactivation** of membrane-bound FVIII (60 nmol/L) by rAPC (10 nmol/L) requires 4 hours of incubation, in contrast to 5 minutes for FV (60 nmol/L). The presence of protein S (100 nmol/L) enhances rhFVIII **inactivation** by rAPC by 6.4-fold and FVa **inactivation** by twofold, whereas membrane-bound FV showed no protein S dependence during **inactivation**. The addition of human FV to the APC/protein S **inactivation** mixture increases by approximately twofold the rate of **inactivation** of rhFVIII. The effect of FV on the rhFVIII **inactivation** by APC is protein S-dependent, because FV alone has no effect on the **inactivation** rate of rhFVIII by APC. Western blotting using a monoclonal antibody that recognizes an epitope between amino acid **residues** 307 and 506 of human FV showed that FV was completely cleaved by APC at the beginning of the rhFVIII **inactivation** process. These data suggest that FV fragments derived from the B region of the procofactor after incubation of the membrane-bound procofactor with APC, but not intact single-chain FV, stimulate APC activity in the presence of protein S. rhFVIII, FV, and rhFVIIla were not **inactivated** by Glu20-->Ala-**substituted** rAPC (rAPCgamma20A), and membrane-bound factor Va was only partially **inactivated**. Our data suggest that (1) FV and FVa are the physiologically significant substrates for APC **inactivation** and (2) membranes-bound APC-treated FV is a cofactor for the APC **inactivation** of rhFVIII only in the presence of the intact form of protein S.

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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:130507 HCAPLUS  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 124:169161  
 TITLE: Activated protein C-catalyzed proteolysis of factor VIIla alters its interactions within factor Xase  
 AUTHOR(S): Regan, Lisa M.; O'Brien, Lynn M.; Beattie, Tammy L.; Sudhakar, Katakam; Walker, Frederick J.; Fay, Philip J.  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Biochem. Med., Univ. Rochester Sch. Med., Rochester, NY, 14642, USA  
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 CODEN: JBCHA3; ISSN: 0021-9258  
 PUBLISHER: American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology  
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
 LANGUAGE: English

AB Factor VIIla, the cofactor for the factor IXa-dependent conversion of factor X to factor Xa, is proteolytically **inactivated** by activated protein C (APC). APC cleaves at two sites in factor VIIla, **Arg336**, near the C terminus of the A1 subunit; and **Arg562**, bisecting the A2 subunit (Fay, P., Smudzins, T., and Walker, F. (1991) J. Biol. Chemical 266, 20139-20145). Factor VIIla increased the fluorescence anisotropy of fluorescein-**Phe-Phe-Arg** factor IXa (Fl-FFR-FIXa; Kd = 42.4 nM), whereas cleavage of factor VIIla by APC eliminated this property. Isolation of the APC-cleaved A1/A3-C1-C2 dimer (A1336/A3-C1-C2), and the fragments derived from cleaved A2 subunit

(A2N/A2C), permitted dissection of the roles of individual cleavages in cofactor **inactivation**. Intact A1/A3-C1-C2 dimer increased Fl-FFR-FIXa anisotropy and bound factor X in a solid phase assay, while these activities were absent in the a1336/A3-C1-C2. However, the **residues** removed by this cleavage, Met337-**Arg372**, did not directly participate in these functions since neither a synthetic peptide to this sequence nor an anti-peptide polyclonal antibody blocked these activities using intact dimer. CD spectral anal. of the intact and truncated dimers indicated reduced  $\alpha$  and/or  $\beta$  content in the latter. The A1/A3-C1-C2 dimer plus A2 subunit reconstitutes cofactor activity and produced a factor VIIla-like effect on the anisotropy of Fl-FFR-FIXa. However, when A2 was replaced by the A2N/A2C fragments, the resulting fluorescence signal was equivalent to that observed with the dimer alone. These results indicate that APC **inactivates** the cofactor at two levels within the intrinsic factor Xase complex. Cleavage of either subunit modulates the factor IXa active site, suggesting an essential synergy of interactive sites in factor VIIla. Furthermore, cleavage of the A1 site alters the conformation of a factor X binding site within that subunit, thereby reducing the affinity of cofactor for substrate.

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CLEAVAGE SITES OF **FACTOR-VIII** IN 125

PATIENTS WITH VENOUS THROMBOSIS

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AB **Resistance** to activated protein C (APC), caused by a **mutation** at amino acid position **Arg**(506) of the factor V gene, has recently been identified as the most prevalent genetic defect associated with venous thrombosis. Similarly to factor V, **mutations** at the cleavage sites of **factor VIII** for APC may occur in patients with venous thrombosis. Here we have analysed 125 consecutive patients with incidental or recurrent venous thromboembolism for the presence of **mutations** at the cleavage sites for APC at amino acid positions **Arg**(336) and **Arg**(562) of **factor VIII**. Our findings indicate that **mutations** at these amino acid positions of **factor VIII** do not occur in the patient group analysed.

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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: TH910  
TITLE: COMPLETE APC-MEDIATED **INACTIVATION** OF  
**FACTOR-VIII** REQUIRES CLEAVAGE AT BOTH  
**ARG336** AND **ARG562** - IMPLICATIONS FOR THE  
APC **RESISTANCE** TEST  
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SOURCE: BLOOD, (15 NOV 1995) Vol. 86, No. 10, Supp. 1, pp. 1776.  
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 95:265481 SCISEARCH  
THE GENUINE ARTICLE: QR243  
TITLE: PROPOSED CAUSE OF MARKED VASOPRESSIN **RESISTANCE**  
IN A FEMALE WITH AN X-LINKED RECESSIVE V2 RECEPTOR  
ABNORMALITY  
AUTHOR: MOSES A M (Reprint); SANGANI G; MILLER J L  
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1995) Vol. 80, No. 4, pp. 1184-1186.  
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DOCUMENT TYPE: Article, Journal  
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AB Almost all cases of congenital nephrogenic diabetes insipidus (NDI) are transmitted in an X-linked recessive manner by an asymptomatic carrier female to her affected son. Severe symptomatic NDI has not previously been reported in a female with X-linked recessive NDI. Each of the three members of this family has an abnormal V-2 receptor gene, which results in truncation of the V-2 receptor beginning at **arginine-337**. This prematurely terminates the receptor at the carboxy-terminal tail and very likely disrupts receptor function. The son has an abnormal V-2 receptor gene on his X-chromosome, whereas the mother and daughter have one normal and one abnormal gene for the V-2 receptor. The infusion of desmopressin into the mother and son reveals a total lack of antidiuretic response, whereas the daughter increases urinary osmolality normally. The plasma **factor VIII** concentration after the infusion of desmopressin in the son does not rise, whereas the mother and daughter have half of the normal **factor VIII** response, similar to asymptomatic female carriers of NDI. These responses to desmopressin in daughter and son are those of a typical carrier female and male affected with NDI. In contrast, the mother acts as an NDI patient when the urine concentration is measured, but acts as a carrier in terms of the **factor VIII** response to desmopressin. We postulate that

the renal tubular cells of the mother demonstrate extreme lyonization of X-chromosome **inactivation**, whereas in the tissue that subserves the hematological response to desmopressin, X-chromosome **inactivation** followed a more typically random distribution.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 95399286 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 95399286 PubMed ID: 7669667  
TITLE: A chromogenic assay for activated protein C  
**resistance.**  
AUTHOR: Varadi K; Moritz B; Lang H; Bauer K; Preston E; Peake I;  
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AB **Resistance** to activated protein C (APC) diagnosed on the basis of prolongation of clotting time in an activated partial thromboplastin time (aPTT) assay is now considered a major cause of inherited thrombophilia. The majority of patients with APC **resistance** carry a factor V molecule with a point **mutation** at one APC cleavage site (**Arg506Gln**) which prevents the optimal **inactivation** of activated factor V by APC. To overcome the limitations of aPTT-based assays in the diagnosis of APC **resistance**, we have developed a chromogenic assay which is based on the capacity of APC to limit the generation of factor Xa by **inactivating** factor VIIIa in plasma. The ratio of the factor Xa amidolytic activity in a sample without APC to its factor Xa activity with the addition of APC reflects the response of the plasma coagulation system to APC. The normal range in 44 healthy individuals was 1.62-2.06. APC response ratios as measured by the chromogenic assay correlated with ratios measured by the aPTT assay and were below the normal range in 23/24 individuals with **Arg506Gln mutant** factor V from three different families with familial thrombosis and from 11 unrelated asymptomatic individuals. In reconstitution experiments, purified factor V corrected the decreased APC response in plasma samples from patients with the **Arg506Gln mutation** as well as with factor V deficiency, and increased the APC response in normal plasma, whereas the addition of activated factor V had no enhancing effect.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:49473 BIOSIS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV1996938621608  
TITLE: Complete APC-mediated **inactivation** of  
**factor VIII** requires cleavage at both  
**Arg336** and **Arg562**: Implications for the  
APC **resistance** test.  
AUTHOR(S): Amano, K. [Reprint author]; Moussalli, M.  
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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: RN048  
TITLE: **RESISTANCE TO ACTIVATED PROTEIN-C DUE TO  
MUTATED FACTOR-V AS A NOVEL CAUSE OF INHERITED  
THROMBOPHILIA**  
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FILE SEGMENT: LIFE  
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\*ABSTRACT IS AVAILABLE IN THE ALL AND IALL FORMATS\*

AB Inherited **resistance** to activated protein C (APC) was recently recognized as a novel cause underlying venous thrombophilia. In most cases APC-**resistance** is due to a single point **mutation** in the factor V gene leading to a replacement of **Arg506** with **Gln** (factor V Leiden). Amino acid **substitution** occurs at one of the APC cleavage sites of factor Va, rendering it **resistant** to APC **inactivation**. Plasma anticoagulant response to exogenous APC as a simple diagnostic assay of APC **resistance** shows good sensitivity and specificity as compared to gene analysis, yet standardization of the results needs to be improved. The APC-**resistance** trait is present in 2%-6% of the general population and was found to be associated with venous thrombophilia in about 20% of patients with unexplained thrombosis. Clinical features are substantially similar to other congenital plasma abnormalities predisposing to thrombosis (antithrombin III, protein C, protein S deficiencies); yet the overall clinical penetrance of the defect seems lower, at least for the heterozygous condition. Preliminary data suggest a higher risk of thrombosis in APC-**resistant** homozygous individuals or in patients exhibiting APC-**resistance** together with other thrombophilic genetic defects. To date, genetically determined APC-**resistance** does not seem to play a significant role in the development of arterial thrombotic disease.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 94:493844 SCISEARCH  
THE GENUINE ARTICLE: PB317  
TITLE: FACTOR-VIIIA A2-SUBUNIT **RESIDUES-558-565**  
REPRESENT A FACTOR-IXA INTERACTIVE SITE  
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No. 32, pp. 20522-20527.  
ISSN: 0021-9258.  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Article; Journal  
FILE SEGMENT: LIFE  
LANGUAGE: ENGLISH  
REFERENCE COUNT: 34

\*ABSTRACT IS AVAILABLE IN THE ALL AND IALL FORMATS\*

AB Factor VIIla is a non-covalent heterotrimer of A1, A2, and A3-C1-C2 subunits. Previously, we speculated that the central portion of the A2 subunit, in and around the activated protein C-sensitive bond at **Arg(562)**-Gly (Fay, P. J., Smudzin, T. M., and Walker, F. J. (1991) J. Biol. Chemical 266, 20139-20145), is important for macromolecular interactions within the factor Xase enzyme complex. A peptide corresponding to **factor VIII residues** 558-565, SVDQRGNQ and designated FVIII558-565, was chemically synthesized and inhibited factor Xa generation in a purified system with an apparent K-I of 105  $\mu$  M. Tryptic cleavage of FVIII558-565 eliminated its inhibitory activity, whereas a scrambled sequence version of the peptide possessed <30% the inhibitory activity of the native version. Overlapping peptides FVIII556-564 and FVIII561-569 were also inhibitory and confirmed the importance of **residues** in and around the scissile bond for functional factor Xase. Kinetic analysis revealed that peptide-mediated inhibition was non-competitive with respect to factor X. However, increasing factor IXa concentration overcame the observed inhibition. Furthermore, the peptide inhibited the factor IXa-dependent enhancement of factor VIIla reconstituted from isolated A1/A3-C1-C2 dimer plus A2 subunit. Isolated **factor VIII** heavy chain (contiguous A1-A2 domains) was cleaved at **Arg(336)** by an equimolar concentration of factor IXa in a reaction that was phospholipid-independent. No proteolysis of the isolated A1 subunit was observed in a similar reaction. These results indicate that the A2 subunit sequence delineated by **residues** 558-565 contributes to the interaction of cofactor with protease and that this interaction is essential for intrinsic factor Xase activity. Furthermore, that this peptide blocks both factor Xase activity and the capacity of factor IXa to stabilize the labile factor VIIla heterotrimer suggest that this latter property is of physiologic significance.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 1994202583  
TITLE: Factor IXa protects factor VIIla from activated protein C.  
Factor IXa inhibits activated protein C-catalyzed cleavage  
of factor VIIla at **ARG562**.  
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AB Factor VIIIa is **inactivated** by both factor IXa and activated protein C. The latter protease rapidly attacked a site at **Arg562** (A2 subunit), whereas both proteases slowly cleaved factor VIIIa at **Arg336** (A1 subunit). Cofactor **inactivation** catalyzed by activated protein C was 8-fold faster than that catalyzed by factor IXa. Simultaneous reaction of factor VIIIa with the two enzymes resulted in a rate of **inactivation** intermediate to that observed for the individual proteases. Under these conditions, the activated protein C-catalyzed cleavage at **Arg562** was inhibited such that cofactor **inactivation** resulted primarily from cleavage at **Arg336**. **Substitution** of factor IXa modified in its active site with 6-(dimethylamino)-2-naphthalenesulfonyl-glutamylglycylarginyl chloromethyl ketone (DEGR-IXa) for the native enzyme yielded a similar rate of activated protein C-catalyzed cleavage at the A1 site, whereas cleavage at the A2 site was virtually eliminated. However, the inclusion of protein S resulted in a marked increase in cleavage at the A2 site that correlated with an increased rate of cofactor **inactivation**. Active site-modified activated protein C inhibited the factor IXa-dependent enhancement of factor VIIIa reconstitution from isolated subunits. In addition, the factor VIIIa-dependent fluorescence enhancement of DEGR-activated protein C was inhibited by EGR-IXa. These results indicate that factor IXa can reduce the rate of activated protein C-catalyzed cofactor **inactivation** by selectively blocking cleavage at the A2 domainal site, an effect reversed by protein S. One mechanism consistent with the reciprocal inhibitory effects of the proteases is that activated protein C and factor IXa occupy overlapping sites on the cofactor. Thus, factor IXa may protect factor VIIIa by preventing activated protein C binding.

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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: PR345

TITLE: CONSTRUCTION AND CHARACTERIZATION OF THROMBIN-

**RESISTANT** VARIANTS OF RECOMBINANT HUMAN PROTEIN-S

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AB Protein S is a vitamin K-dependent plasma protein that functions as a cofactor of activated protein C (APC) in the **inactivation** of coagulation factors Va and VIIIa.

Protein S, migrates as a doublet on reduced SDS polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis. This heterogeneity in molecular weight has been explained by limited proteolysis of protein S. Human protein S contains at **Arg-49**, **Arg-60** and **Arg-70** three potential



cleavage sites. Whether cleavage occurs at all three sites is not known. To study the role of these **arginine residues** in human protein S, we have replaced them by leucine or isoleucine. All seven possible variants were constructed: three variants with single **mutations** (R49L, R60L, R70I), three variants with double **mutations** (R49L/R60L, R60L/R70I, R49L/R70I) and one variant with a triple **mutation** (R49L/R60L/R70I). On reduced SDS polyacrylamide gels the single and double variants migrate as a doublet just like the wild type protein S. The triple variant migrates as a single band at a molecular weight corresponding to the upper band of the doublet. The upper band of the single and double variants but not of the triple variant could be converted into the lower band by thrombin treatment.

All variants showed cofactor activity to APC in a clotting assay. After thrombin treatment, this cofactor activity was abolished for the single (R49L, R60L, R70I) and double variants (R49L/R60L, R60L/R70I, R49L/R70I), while the triple variant (R49L/R60L/R70I) tested at several concentrations, retained its cofactor activity completely, suggesting **resistance** to thrombin. This shows that thrombin can cleave at all three **arginine** sites and that cleavage at each of these sites results in the loss of APC cofactor activity. Finally, all variants bind to C4b-binding protein with an affinity similar as the wild type recombinant molecule.

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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: NJ860

TITLE: **MUTATION** IN BLOOD-COAGULATION FACTOR-V  
ASSOCIATED WITH **RESISTANCE** TO ACTIVATED  
PROTEIN-C

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AB ACTIVATED protein C (APC) is a serine protease with potent anticoagulant properties, which is formed in blood on the endothelium from an inactive precursor(1). During normal haemostasis, APC limits clot formation by proteolytic **inactivation** of factors Va and VIIIa (reference 2). To do this efficiently the enzyme needs a nonenzymatic cofactor, protein S (reference 3). Recently it was found that the anticoagulant response to APC (APC **resistance**)(4) was very weak in the plasma of 21% of unselected consecutive patients with thrombosis(5) and about 50% of selected patients with a personal or family history of thrombosis(6,7); moreover, 5% of healthy individuals show APC **resistance**, which is associated with a sevenfold increase in the risk for deep vein thrombosis(5). Here we demonstrate that the **phenotype** of APC **resistance** is associated with heterozygosity or homozygosity for a single point **mutation** in the factor V gene (at nucleotide position 1,691, G --> A **substitution**) which predicts the synthesis of a factor V molecule (FV Q506, or FV Leiden) that is not

properly **inactivated** by APC. The allelic frequency of the **mutation** in the Dutch population is similar to 2% and is at least tenfold higher than that of all other known genetic risk factors for thrombosis (protein C (reference 8), protein S (reference 9), antithrombin(10) deficiency) together.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 93:25579 SCISEARCH  
THE GENUINE ARTICLE: KF241  
TITLE: RECOMBINANT **FACTOR-VIII**  
(ANTIHEMOPHILIC-A) - STRUCTURE-FUNCTION RELATIONSHIP  
AUTHOR: BIHOREAU N (Reprint)  
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F-91943 LES ULIS, FRANCE (Reprint)  
COUNTRY OF AUTHOR: FRANCE  
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AB **Factor VIII** is a glycoprotein which acts as a cofactor in the blood coagulation pathway. Sequence modifications or a deficiency in **factor VIII** cause a serious bleeding disorder called haemophilia A. Gene cloning has greatly contributed to the understanding of the **factor VIII** structure and function. The primary sequence, deduced from the human cDNA, predicts a mature polypeptide of 2332 aminoacids which exhibits three domains arranged as follows : A1-A2-B-A3-C1-C2. **Factor VIII** is present in plasma as a complex corresponding to the association, by a divalent ion, of a 210 kDa heavy chain (A1-A2-B) to a 80 kDa light chain (A3-C1-C2). Cleavages of the B domain lead to different heterodimers of Mr ranging from 210-80 to 90-80 kDa. **Factor VIII** acts in the blood coagulation pathway in its activated or **inactivated** forms after proteolysis by thrombin or activated protein C, respectively. Site-directed mutagenesis has allowed an analysis of the structural requirements for **factor VIII** function. Thrombin activation corresponds to proteolysis on the heavy and light chains after the **Arg** 372 and 1689, respectively, to generate the activated trimer A1/A2/A3-C1-C2. Dissociation of the A2 domain from this complex leads to **factor VIII inactivation**. By contrast, **inactivation** with the activated protein C corresponds to the proteolysis of the heavy chain after **Arg336** to generate the A1/A3-C1-C2 dimer. Considering these structural requirements and that the B region is dispensable for procoagulant activity, different variants of **factor VIII** comprising partial or complete **deletions** of the B domain have been constructed. These variants, which are better secreted than the complete protein, are active to restore coagulation in vitro and in vivo in hemophilic dogs. The clinical investigations have shown that the complete recombinant **factor VIII** is efficacious for treatment of haemophilia A.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 88190085 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 88190085 PubMed ID: 3128786  
TITLE: Proteolytic requirements for thrombin activation of anti-hemophilic factor (**factor VIII**).

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CONTRACT NUMBER: 2R44HL35946-02 (NHLBI)  
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, (1988 Apr) 85 (8) 2429-33.  
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AB **Factor VIII** functions in the intrinsic pathway of coagulation as the cofactor for factor IXa proteolytic activation of factor X. Proteolytic cleavage is required for activation and may be responsible for **inactivation** of cofactor activity. To identify which of the multiple cleavages are required for activation and **inactivation** of **factor VIII**, site-directed DNA-mediated mutagenesis of the **factor VIII** cDNA was performed and the altered forms of **factor VIII** were expressed in COS-1 monkey cells and characterized. Conversion of **arginine residues** to isoleucine **residues** at the aminoterminal side of the cleavage sites at positions 740, 1648, and 1721 resulted in cleavage **resistance** at the modified site with no alteration in the in vitro procoagulant activity and the susceptibility to thrombin activation. Similar modification of the thrombin cleavage sites at either position 372 or position 1689 resulted in molecules with residual **factor VIII** activity but **resistant** to thrombin cleavage at the modified site and not susceptible to thrombin activation. Modification of the **arginine** to either an isoleucine or a lysine at **residue 336**, the site postulated for proteolytic **inactivation** by activated protein C, resulted in a **factor VIII** molecule with increased procoagulant activity. This increased activity may result from greater **resistance** to proteolytic **inactivation**. A model for the activation and **inactivation** of **factor VIII** is proposed.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 88327107 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 88327107 PubMed ID: 3137981  
TITLE: **Mutations of factor VIII**  
cleavage sites in hemophilia A.  
AUTHOR: Gitschier J; Kogan S; Levinson B; Tuddenham E G  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Howard Hughes Medical Institute, University of California,  
San Francisco 94143.  
SOURCE: BLOOD, (1988 Sep) 72 (3) 1022-8.  
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PUB. COUNTRY: United States  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
LANGUAGE: English  
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AB Hemophilia A is caused by a defect in coagulation **factor**

**VIII**, a protein that undergoes extensive proteolysis during its activation and **inactivation**. To determine whether some cases of hemophilia are caused by **mutations** in important cleavage sites, we screened patient DNA samples for **mutations** in these sites by a two-step process. Regions of interest were amplified from genomic DNA by repeated rounds of primer-directed DNA synthesis. The amplified DNAs were then screened for **mutations** by discriminant hybridization using oligonucleotide probes. Two cleavage site **mutations** were found in a survey of 215 patients. A nonsense **mutation** in the activated protein C cleavage site at amino acid **336** was discovered in a patient with severe hemophilia. In another severely affected patient, a mis-sense **mutation** results in a **substitution** of cysteine for **arginine** in the thrombin activation site at amino acid 1689. This defect is associated with no detectable **factor VIII** activity, but with normal levels of **factor VIII** antigen. The severe hemophilia in this patient was sporadic; analysis of the mother suggested that the **mutation** originated in her gametes or during her embryogenesis. The results demonstrate that this approach can be used to identify **factor VIII** gene **mutations** in regions of the molecule known to be important for function.